## REMARKS

To avoid another protracted appeal, we have restricted the claims to detecting the specifically exemplified TAJ mutants, and will instead present the canceled subject matter in a continuing application. Table 1 of the claims is identical to Table 1 of the Specification as filed (bridging p.2 and 3). We have also incorporated limitations of dependent claims, and canceled all claims except claims 36, 37 and 38.

The Examiner is urged to call the undersigned if he would like to further amend the claims to facilitate allowance. In the alternative, if the Examiner determines that another appeal is necessary, the foregoing restricted claims will dramatically limit the issues and scope of Board review.

We petition for and authorize charging our Deposit Account No.19-0750 all necessary extensions of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fces or credit any overcharges relating to this communication to our Dep. Acct. No.19-0750 (UTSD:0680).

Respectfully submitted,

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